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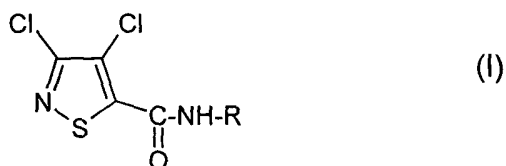
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~~Isothiazolecarboxamides~~

ISOTHIAZOLE CARBOXYLIC ACID AMIDES AND  
THE APPLICATION THEREOF IN ORDER TO PROTECT PLANTS

~~Abstract~~ ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Novel isothiazolecarboxamides of the formula



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a plurality of processes for preparing the novel compounds and their use for protecting plants against attack by undesirable microorganisms and animal pests.